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Midland Vet Center
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Media Advisory

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Veterans: Don't Miss This Opportunity to Learn about Your VA Benefits and Receive Counseling

**VA Mobile Vet Center will be in the following Texas Counties on Dec. 11-13, 2019:
Terrell, Presidio, Brewster, Jeff Davis, Pecos, Reeves**

Terrell County

Wednesday, Dec. 11, 2019, 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.
Sanderson Visitor Center
300 U.S. 90
Sanderson, TX 79848

Jeff Davis County

Thursday, Dec. 12, 2019, 3 p.m. – 6 p.m.
Chamber of Commerce
#4 Memorial Square
Fort Davis, TX 79734

Brewster County

Wednesday, Dec. 11, 2019, 3 p.m. – 6 p.m.
Parking Lot, Ave E. between 7th & 8th
Alpine, TX 79830

Pecos County

Friday, Dec. 13, 2019, 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.
The Ice House'
698 E Dickinson Blvd
Fort Stockton, TX 79735

Presidio County

Thursday, Dec. 12, 2019, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Chamber of Commerce
207 Highland St.
Marfa, TX 79843

Reeves County

Friday, Dec. 13, 2019, 3 p.m. - 6 p.m.
Professional Pharmacy
1010 S. Eddy St.
Pecos, TX 79772

BACKGROUND:

VA Vet Centers are community-based counseling centers providing a broad range of counseling, outreach, and referral services, free-of-charge in a safe and confidential environment. Vet Center staff use Mobile Vet Centers, 34-foot "office on wheels" equipped with satellite communications, to reach Veterans, Active Duty Service Members, Reserve, Guard, and their families, in rural and underserved communities.

Vet Center counselors and outreach staff, many of whom are Veterans themselves, are experienced and prepared to discuss the tragedies of war, loss, grief and transition after trauma. Services include Post-Traumatic Stress, Military Sexual Trauma, and bereavement counseling; marriage and family therapy; resources for suicide intervention; and assistance with VA benefits.

Veterans and family members, who are not able to stop by the Mobile Vet Center, are encouraged to call the Vet Center Call Center at 1-877-WAR VETS (1.877.927.8387).

This is an around-the-clock, free, confidential call center where combat Veterans and their families can call to talk about their military experience or any other issue they are facing in their readjustment to civilian life.

For more information or to schedule a visit, contact the Midland Vet Center at 432-697-8222, located at 4400 N Midland Dr, Ste 540, Midland, TX 79707, and open Monday – Friday from 7 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Veterans in crisis, or friends and family concerned about one, can connect with **caring, qualified responders** at VA's Veterans Crisis Line: 1-800-273-8255, text 838255, or www.veteranscrisisline.net.

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